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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

This is in Response to the Examiner's Office Action, mailing date 03/17/08, in which, the Examiner continued his rejection of claims of the instant patent application on the following grounds: (1-2) Claims 1-2 and 4 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Prefec et al. (U.S. Pat. No. 5,793,185) in combination with Crass et al. (U.S. Pat. No. 6,252,378). (3) Claims 1-2 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Prefec et al. (U.S. Pat. No. 5,793,185) in combination with Crass et al. (U.S. Pat. No. 6,252,378) and further in combination with Johnson (U.S. Pat. No. 5,111,127).

Applicant wishes to respond to that Office Action, mail date 3/17/08 and desires that the Examiner make the following amendments to the claims and consider carefully the following response to the grounds for rejecting the above patent application.